









# METHODIST W. M. S.

The Methodist Missionary Society met at the church Monday evening, Feb. 18th, for a business meeting. The program committee gave out the year books. Also received our Mission Study Book. Next Monday the 20th, the auxiliary will meet with Mrs. W. C. Cook for their Bible Study. We hope to have a large crowd and an interesting study. Don't wait to be called. It is your duty to help make this a success.

# 4 CAKES PALM OLIVE SOAP FOR 25 CENTS. MAYS-VAUGHN MERC. CO.

# MISS LANE ENTERTAINS—

Miss Lane entertained her friends at her home in West Elba, last Saturday night. Music and games were enjoyed until a late hour, after which a bonfire and the fireworks were enjoyed in the yard where they roasted weinners and tomato marshmallows.

# 24th. HOME TALK, SELF-RISING FLOUR, 95c. MAYS-VAUGHN MERC. CO.

# Used Cars with an O. K. that Counts

One 1926 Chevrolet Touring	\$350.00
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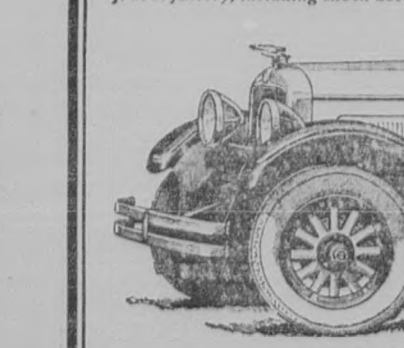
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# The Dictator 4-door Sedan \$1195

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ELBA, ALABAMA

# VALENTINE PARTY FOR SLURRY DEPARTMENT—

About thirty children met at the M. E. Church on Tuesday afternoon, the occasion being a Valentine Party. Stories were told, games were played and a Valentine box was very much enjoyed. Each child received a Valentine and a box of candy. Refreshments were served by the teachers of the Primary Department.

# FOUR-MONTHS OLD BABY DIED LAST WEDNESDAY.

The four-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Lark Weeks died last Wednesday night. The child had been ill for some time. Funeral and burial occurred in Paxton, Florida, former home of the Weeks family. Mr. Weeks was employed at the Lewis saw mill near Elba.

# MISS ANN BROUGHTON, of Montgomery, is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. W. P. Boyd.

Miss Ann Broughton and Mrs. Ernest Freeman spent Sunday in Brantley.

# Mrs. A. T. Colley and daughter, of Enterprise, were visitors to Mrs. Jack D. Lee Saturday.

# 16th AMERICAN GRANULATED SUGAR FOR \$1.00 MAYS-VAUGHN MERC. CO.

Miss Nell Porter spent the week end with home folks in Columbus, Georgia.

Doc and John Kendrick spent Sunday in Bonifay, Fla., guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Kendrick.

Miss Mary Olive Carney, of Hartford, was the week end guest of her parents, Judge and Mrs. J. A. Carney.

The Willing Workers visited the Curtis organization Tuesday afternoon. The Royal Service program was presented with Mrs. Max Fortner as leader. There were 28 Elba ladies and 12 Curtis ladies present at this meeting.

# UNCLE SAM WORK SHIRT, HEAVY WEIGHT, \$1.00 VALUED AT 85c. MAYS-VAUGHN MERC. CO.

PROGRAM AT NEWBIA SCHOOL HOUSE SATURDAY NIGHT.

There will be a program and fish pond at Newbia School house on Saturday night, February 18. Everybody invited.

—Teacher.

DRESSES! DRESSES! PRINTED CREPE, de CHINE DRESSES in ALL STYLES and the SEASON'S NEWEST COLORS NOW ON DISPLAY. COME SEE THEM. MAYS-VAUGHN MERC. CO.

# THE "HAPPY GO LUCKY" SLURRY ENTERTAINS—

The "Happy Go Lucky" Club entertained their friends at a party Friday evening at the home of Elvie Lee, which was a Valentine Party. These little folks, many games were enjoyed, after which delicious refreshments were served.

# 3 15c SIZE, 13 OZ. CANS GIANT POTASH FOR 25c MAYS-VAUGHN MERC. CO.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Tibbot and Mr. Holden Mitchell were visitors in Montgomery Tuesday.

Mrs. W. P. Boyd returned Saturday from Montgomery where she spent several days with relatives.

Miss Caroline Carmichael, of Montgomery, is the guest of her grandmother, Mrs. W. P. Boyd.

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# FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination of Judge of the 12th Judicial Circuit of Alabama, subject to the action of the Democratic Primary election to be held in said Circuit, on the second Tuesday in May, 1928.

Wm. L. PARKS.  
(Paid political adv. by W. L. Parks, Troy, Alabama.)

# FOR CIRCUIT JUDGE.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Judge of the 12th Judicial Circuit of the State of Alabama, said circuit being composed of the counties of Coffee and Pike; subject to the democratic primary election to be held in May, 1928.

L. H. BRASSILL.  
(Paid political advertisement by L. H. Brassill, Troy, Ala.)

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I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of Judge of the Twelfth Judicial Circuit of Alabama, subject to the action of the primary election to be held in May, 1928.

A. G. SEAY.  
(Paid political advertisement by A. G. Seay, Troy, Ala.)

# FOR COUNTY TREASURER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for re-election as Treasurer of Coffee County, subject to the Democratic Primary election to be held in May, 1928.

SAM R. MORGAN.  
(Paid political adv. by S. R. Morgan, Elba, Alabama.)

# FOR SUPT. OF EDUCATION.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Superintendent of Education of Coffee County, subject to the action of the democratic primary. Your support and influence will be greatly appreciated.

G. W. CARLISLE.  
(Paid political adv. by G. W. Carlisle, Elba, Alabama.)

# FOR SUPERINTENDENT OF EDUCATION.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for Superintendent of Education of Coffee County, subject to the democratic primary to be held in May. Your support will be appreciated.

HOWE WATSON.  
(Paid political adv. by Howe Watson, Enterprise, Ala.)

# FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for County Commissioner from the Southwest District of Coffee County, subject to the democratic primary to be held in May. Your support will be appreciated.

F. A. DEVANE.  
(Paid political adv. by F. A. Devane, Elba, Alabama.)

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SIOR R. GATLIN.  
(Paid political adv. by S. R. Gatlin, Kinston, Alabama.)

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J. CURTIS DONALDSON.  
(Paid political adv. by J. C. Donaldson, Elba, Ala.)

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EDD WILLIS.  
(Paid political adv. by Edd Willis, Elba, Alabama.)

LOST DOG—White setter dog, with black head and ears; about 2 years old; left Tuesday, February 7; answers to name "Jack"; liberal reward for return of dog or for information about him. Lawrence Ham, Elba, Alabama.

# TRIPLE STITCH, HEAVY WEIGHT, HIGH BACK OVERALLS, FOR 3c. MAYS-VAUGHN MERC. CO.

EGGS FOR HATCHING—Thoroughbred, Silver Lacol Wyandotte eggs, \$1.00 per setting.

Tom Hutchison, Elba, Ala.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack D. Lee, Mrs. Annie Waters and Mrs. Luther Gauss visited in Oip Monday.

# 11, 36-IN. HEAVY SHEETING, 15c VALUE, FOR ONLY 9 1/2c PER YARD. (1 bolt to customer.) MAYS-VAUGHN MERC. CO.

# \$80,000 For His Discovery Formula for Stomach Medicine Brings Large Sum

This is G. M. Gordon, widely known Dallas, Texas, pharmacist, who spent twenty years developing "Gordon's," an internal Antiseptic for the stomach and bowels, for which he received \$80,000 for the rights to the secret process of formulating.

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"Gordon's" goes right to the seat of the trouble, as it expresses a digestive antiseptic as well as a digestive effect. It stops and prevents fermentation, soothes and heals any irritated or inflamed condition and will bring quick relief in cases of gas, dyspepsia, heartburn, bloating after meals, excess acid, indigestion, constipation, sick headache, nervousness, when caused by faulty digestion, loss of the digestive organs and stimulates the stomach and bowels to their normal function. A few drops will convince you. Sold by good druggists, \$1.50 per bottle of sixty-four doses—less than three cents a dose.



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In the north and south it logs and mills its own lumber. In the east it makes its own ball bearings and radiators. In the middle west it produces its own plate glass. Its plants are busy in 33 important American cities.

From almost 5,000 suppliers, its materials are obtained—steel by the hundreds of thousands of tons—wire by the tens of thousands of miles—upholstery by the acre—nuts, bolts and washers by the millions. Its sales and service take place through 33,000 dealers. More than 275,000 families look directly to General Motors for their livelihood—almost a million and a half men, women and children in every community in the land.

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# THE ELBA CLIPPER

FOR Latest News of Interest Read The Elba Clipper

VOLUME XXXI.

JUDGE J. A. CARNEY FORMALLY ANNOUNCES FOR RE-ELECTION.

Elsewhere in today's paper will be found an advertisement from the Highway Department calling for bids on paving ten miles of road from River to Brundidge. While this project is in Pike and Dale counties, a small portion, or about one mile, is in Coffee county. The highway which is proposed to be paved runs across the edge of Coffee in the Northeastern part of the county. While this project touches Coffee it is a Pike-Dale project and the cost of paving will be charged to those counties. No charge will be made against Coffee's allotment of road funds will be made for this paving, according to Judge J. A. Carney, when asked about the matter.

Many improvements have been made in county buildings, roads and various other lines of work in the county during his present term of office, and the county is now one of the leading counties of the state. He has succeeded in keeping the county finances in good condition, and the county is now running on a cash basis.

His record as an official needs no comment from our pen, as it is well known to the people of the county. Judge Carney feels that, inasmuch as he had participated in any of the other Probate Judges have been given a second term he is entitled to a like consideration.

Mrs. D. C. Marley spent several days last week with her daughter, Miss Nan, at Woman's College, Montgomery.

Miss Bob Stephens, of Opp, spent the week end in Elba.

MR. LONNIE SPURLIN ENTERS RACE FOR TREASURER OF COFFEE.

Mr. J. E. (Lonnie) Spurlin, well known Coffee citizen, formally enters the race for Treasurer of Coffee County in the coming primary. Mr. Spurlin is quite well known throughout the county, especially in the Western division of the county where he has made his home. For a number of years he has taught in the public schools of the county, and in recent years has been engaged frequently in the teaching of singing schools in different sections of the county. He is a splendid citizen, and has scores of friends, who will be interested in his announcement, and many of whom will take an active part in his campaign for the place.

Mr. H. C. (Gus) Stephens, prominent citizen of the Damascus community, enters the race for Commissioner of Southwest District, his formal announcement appearing in our announcement column today. For a number of years Mr. Stephens has been engaged in business at Damascus, and is also a prosperous farmer. He is well qualified for the office he seeks, and if elected will make a splendid official. He has numerous friends throughout the district, who will be interested in his race.

Mr. H. C. Stephens, of Paducah, was a visitor in TP Tuesday.

W. H. Y. CLUB ENTERTAINED.

The W. H. Y. Club gave a lovely Valentine party Friday evening at the home of Miss Katherine Lee. The guests were met at the door by Seth Ward, who showed them to a table where Mrs. Herbert Jones presided over the bride's book. After registering their name and gift, Miss Merle Engram assured them that the instant was passed off for Elba, and just how so much money was raised during these hard times. Such information is valuable to us, as Elba is in need of many other good things.

Another thing which we might mention is that the colored people need our moral support and our financial support. The town of Elba is not so wealthy as it once was, and we hope that those who are able will help morally.

Spring is here! It is time to clean up. Clean home surroundings are equally as important to the health of a community as clean restaurants, stores, markets, dairies, etc. Clean home premises will make your city more healthful for residence and more attractive to visitors.

Keep your yards, front and rear, neat and clean. Ask your neighbors to do likewise.

Collect and remove or destroy the scattered cans, paper and useless rubbish and burn the waste. Plant in your places trees, shrubs, vines and flowers. The most careless and lawless person will not throw refuse into a well kept garden or lawn.

Provide receptacles for the refuse that is brought into the streets on Market or Hog-day or any other business day. Let outsiders know that you want to have a clean city and make it convenient for them to help you keep it so.

J. C. POLEY,  
County Sanitary Inspector.

WILLING WORKERS MET WITH MRS. ARMOR.

The Willing Workers had a most excellent meeting Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. H. Armor.

Devotional was led by Mrs. John Whitehead. The Mission Study lesson was taught by Mrs. W. F. Cooper. The meeting was dismissed with prayer by Mrs. W. F. Boyd. There were twenty-nine present.

NEW SCHOOL BUILDING FOR COLORED PEOPLE IS NOW UNDER CONSTRUCTION.

Possibly many of our citizens do not know that a modern High School Building is being erected in Elba for the colored people, but this is a fact. Work on the structure has been in progress for several days, and the building when completed and furnished will represent an outlay of about \$10,000.00, and will be a very modern building in every respect.

This school is being fostered by the colored folks Baptist Association, known as the Mulberry Baptist Association, and members of the association are being urged to contribute to the school. The association covers several counties in this part of the state and this is the first high school in the first high school in the state. In fact this will be the first High school for colored people in South Alabama.

The building is being erected on the road to Taylor's Mill, just this side of the old Windham Mill site. It is a fine building, and the town started out there and all are very enthusiastic about their school project.

We understand that the State is helping some in the construction of the building and this amount is being very satisfactorily made to all who have business in the office.

He has many friends throughout the county who will be interested in his announcement.

The Pine Level 4-H club held its regular meeting on February 14th. 37 members were present and the regular club program was given, followed by a demonstration by Miss Mary Broughton. This club is one of the largest and best clubs in the county.

All of the 4-H club girls are making plans to enter the county clothing contest which will be held in May. The contest is open only to 4-H club girls and the winner of the contest will be awarded the trip to Auburn to the girls' short course. The girls are working hard to make a complete costume and this costume will be judged as to materials, workmanship and beauty.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. James and children, and Mrs. Hattie Corner, who have been making their home in May, are planning to visit in Elba. Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Whitman and other relatives. Mr. James will leave in a few days for Birmingham where he will be connected with the Alabama Power Company.

SENIOR EPWORTH LEAGUE.

"Adventures in Christian Living"—February 26. The Second Mile. (Matt. 5:41).

This is a big subject. Come to the League Sunday night at 6:15 and discuss it with us. All who want to be a little surprised, come promptly at six, and I believe you will be glad you came. We will do something unusual.

—Publicity Supt.

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